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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE  
BEFORE THE BOARD OF PATENT APPEALS AND INTERFERENCES

In re the application of:

John E. Holland, et al

Docket: H27106

Serial Number: 10/616,790

Group Art Unit: 1771

Filed: July 10, 2003

Examiner: Arti Singh

For: Abrasion Resistant Sheet Material

NOTICE OF APPEAL

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Applicants hereby appeal to the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences from the decision of the Primary Examiner dated May 12, 2006 finally rejecting claims 1-28.

A timely response to the final rejection was filed on May 25, 2006, but failed to place the application in condition for allowance.

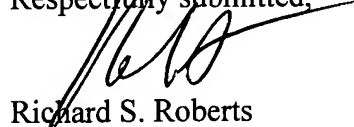
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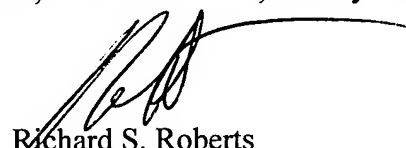
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Respectfully submitted,



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